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These are still my marching orders.

So we really need to talk early next week.

Also heard from Susan that she heard some news on the negotiations from a 3rd party that did not square with anything Alan told her or you told me. We need to clarify that.

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## George and Ray:

Just want to follow-up on our previous conversations about the CSTAG review. I have confirmed with Susan that she wants the CSTAG to perform an additional review of the latest site data and the

information that will come out of both the peer review report of the CSM-EMB model and the HydroQual report that used their Sediment Transport Model to evaluate the assumptions that formed the basis of the CSM-EMB model and its predictions.

We are aware that timing is an issue. We feel that this review needs to occur before the NRRB meeting so the ensuing CSTAG recommendations can be considered by the NRRB. Based on our understanding of the peer review schedules, it looks like the CSTAG review should take place in late August.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns about this.

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